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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): December 10, 2014

The New York Times Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York 1-5837 13-1102020 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

620 Eighth Avenue, New York, New York 10018
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

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Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (212) 556-1234

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- "Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Items

On December 10, 2014, The New York Times Company (the Company) filed a prospectus supplement under its effective Registration Statement on Form S-3 (Reg. No. 333-194161) (the Registration Statement) pursuant to Rule 424(b)(2) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The prospectus supplement covers the offer and sale of up to 559 shares of Class A common stock, par value \$0.10 per share (the Shares), issuable by the Company upon the exercise of 559 outstanding warrants (the Warrants). The Warrants were issued to certain holders of the Company s Class B common stock, par value \$0.10 per share, in February 2009 pursuant to the preemptive right provisions contained in the Company s Certificate of Incorporation in connection with a private financing in which warrants with similar terms were issued to private investors.

Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP has provided to the Company a legal opinion respecting the validity of the Shares, which opinion is filed as Exhibit 5.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated by reference into the Registration Statement.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number Description

Exhibit 5.1 Opinion of Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: December 10, 2014

THE NEW YORK TIMES COMPANY

By: /s/ Kenneth A. Richieri Kenneth A. Richieri

Executive Vice President and General Counsel

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Exhibit List

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